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## PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136, applicants hereby petition that the period for response to examiner's action mailed August 17, 1998, be extended for one month to and including December 17, 1998.

Enclosed is a check for \$110.00 for the required fee. Please apply any other charges or any credits to our Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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